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## SPIRIT

**Of Intolerance Made Its Appearance at Southern Presbyterian Assembly.**

**Declares Catholic Church a Menace to All Liberty.**

**President, Congressmen and Legislators Come Under His Bann.**

## CHIEF JUSTICE WHITE ATTACKED

The good people of Louisville and Kentucky who believe in religious tolerance received quite a jolt this week when they read in the daily papers that the Catholic church had been recklessly if not maliciously attacked at the General Assembly of the Southern Presbyterian church. The meeting of Presbyterian divines was held at the Second Presbyterian church, Second and Broadway, on Monday. There was a time when the Puritans of New England, who were the original American Presbyterians, believed in ducking scolds and burning witches, but for the past two centuries the majority of American Presbyterians have practiced an eleventh commandment—that of minding their own business.

There are thousands of Louisville Presbyterians who are good neighbors, good citizens and duly tolerant. They are not to be blamed for the uncalculated attack made by a few preachers last Monday. The same coterie might have attacked the Baptists, the Methodists or the Jews had the idea occurred. The Rev. J. C. Painter, of Yancy Mills, Va., introducing a resolution at the meeting Monday night, denounced the Catholic church on account of its growth and declared it to be a menace to civil and religious liberty. But here is the resolution in full:

"Resolved, That the General Assembly views with serious concern the growth and pernicious activity of that powerful politico-religious organization known as the Roman Catholic Church, which is and always has been a menace or a blight to the civil and religious liberty of every land where it has obtained a foothold; that it views with serious concern the apathy of all public men in this matter; and that it hereby expresses its sincere and earnest protest against this menace, the evident result of the apathy of the General Assembly, to grant special aid to this organization and the silence of the public press in giving any adverse criticism of it; and at the same time the Assembly to freely advise all that are interested in this so-called church, that this assembly shall appoint an ad interim committee of five members, who shall inquire into this matter and report to the next assembly some practical method of raising our whole people concerning the dangers involved in the above facts and, if in their judgment wise, to invite the influence and co-operation of other Protestant bodies in this work."

This resolution was introduced at the close of the exercises celebrating the tercentenary of the King James Bible. Mr. Painter spoke at length in favor of his resolution. He declared that the Roman Catholic church was working with the industry of the beaver and the secrecy of the mole to gain political control in the United States. "One can not read history," he said, "without knowing that that body has been not only a menace but a blight on the civil and religious liberty of every country in which it has gained ascendancy. But in spite of the teaching of history on this subject, there is on the part of public men an absolute apathy in this matter. Either they do not regard it as a menace, or else they are actuated by a selfish interest, as they regard it. No Congressman, no United States Senator, dares to oppose a measure advocated by that body. You can not get any newspaper in this land to publish anything adverse to this organization. The press of the land is silent while this organization is threatening our civil liberty. It has put its hand on our public school system in a dangerous manner by excluding the Bible from it."

Mr. Painter also criticized President Taft for appointing a Catholic as Chief Justice of the United States Supreme Court. "He is a graduate of a Jesuit College as well as a Catholic," he continued. "All history teaches that these two facts disqualify him for the position. Cardinal Gibbons kept the trail hot between Baltimore and Washington pending the appointment which came as a surprise to the public."

Rev. E. M. Stuart, of Lafayette, La., spoke in favor of the resolution also and declared that "this was a country won by Protestant blood." A motion to table the resolution was defeated, and a motion referring it to a special committee of three was adopted.

It was certainly a great advertisement for the Roman Catholic church in America. Its growing strength, its power over Presidents, Senators, Congressmen, Legislators, Judiciary and the press the Catholics themselves were not aware of. The clique of Presbyterians who upheld Rev. Painter may be learned in the doctrines of their creed but they lack Christianity. They came to Louisville presumably in a spirit of

peace and good will toward men; they end by "Fighting like the devil for conciliation. And hating each other for the love of God."

## SUPREME OFFICERS

**Of C. K. of A. Received With Genuine Kentucky Welcome.**

Louisville was honored, last Sunday by a visit from Dr. Felix Gaudin, of New Orleans, Supreme President, and Capt. Michael Quinn, of Brooklyn, N. Y., Supreme Trustee of the Catholic Knights of America. Both officials were en route home after attending a meeting of the Supreme Council at St. Louis. The intimation of the visit of these officials came at such a late date that local officials of the order had no opportunity to call a general meeting of the branches, nevertheless the visitors were given a taste of Kentucky hospitality.

They were met at the railroad station by a committee from the Central Committee composed of Eugene McCarthy, Major Gen. Michael Reichert, Major Secretary William T. Meehan, Col. Joseph P. McGinn, Charles Hill and William M. Higgins. The party was taken to St. Mary's church to attend mass. The visitors and their hosts saw a large class of little children receive first holy communion and heard the feeling sermon of Father Westermann. After mass the party was conveyed to Col. McGinn's residence, at Center and Chestnut streets, where breakfast was served. Various duties occupied the several members until noon, when they assembled at Jacob Goby's on Main street, near Third, for luncheon, and Mr. Goby proved a delightful host.

Meanwhile the party was joined by John Schalda, Charles Falk, John Hodapp, L. J. Kadeski, Harry Veene and John J. Crotty. Automobiles loaned by Bernard M. Hackett and Charles Klappache were in attendance and in a trice the party were being whirled over the streets. The Catholic cemeteries, the parks and boulevards all got their share of attention. As the sun began to sink low in the west the automobiles were directed toward Sixth and Walnut streets, where Henry Hunold, a staunch member of the order, had prepared a banquet. Perhaps it might be better to say that Mrs. Hunold prepared the banquet and Mr. Hunold recommended it. All the guests enjoyed the feast set before them and the music by Misses Minnie and Marie Hunold.

The post-prandial remarks were entirely informal. Capt. Quinn expressed his appreciation of Kentucky hospitality. Eugene McCarthy, Chairman of the Central Committee, told what a pleasure it was to entertain the Supreme officers. Col. McGinn, John J. Crotty, Major Gen. Reichert, Dr. Gaudin, Harry Veene, John Schalda, Charles Falk, L. J. Kadeski, Charles Klappache, John Hodapp and others made brief but appropriate talks.

## SILVER JUBILEE.

**Father J. H. Hillebrand Has Completed Twentyfive Years.**

Rev. Father John H. Hillebrand will celebrate his silver sacerdotal jubilee at 9:30 o'clock on the morning of Thursday, June 20, in St. Boniface church, Evansville. Several Louisville friends have received invitations to attend the silver jubilee. The members of Father Hillebrand's congregation have left nothing undone to make the celebration an event long to be remembered.

Father Hillebrand is only a Hoosier by adoption. He often visits his old Kentucky home and is as much persona grata among Irish-Americans as he is among German-Americans. His preliminary studies for the priesthood were made at Bardonia, Ky., and he completed his course in Indiana and Canada. He was ordained at Ferdinand, Ind., June 19, 1886, by the Right Rev. Bishop Francis J. Chadwick.

Father Hillebrand acted as pastor of several rural missions in Southern Indiana and later was given charge of the thriving parish of St. Mary's of the Knobs. While there he made many friends in Floyd and Clark counties and renewed old acquaintances in Louisville. A number of his friends from the Falls cities will go to Evansville to attend the jubilee exercises.

## CONFIRMATION TOUR.

The Right Rev. Bishop O'Donoghue will be a very busy man during the next few weeks. He has made the following dates to administer confirmation: Tomorrow, May 28, 9 a. m., St. Michael's; 3 p. m., St. Martin's; 7:30 p. m., St. Boniface's; Monday, 9 a. m., St. Ann's; 3 p. m., Church of the Blessed Sacrament; Tuesday, 9 a. m., St. Bridget's; 3 p. m., St. James. On June 1, 9 a. m., St. Francis of Assisi; 3 p. m., St. William's; June 2, 9 a. m., Church of Our Lady; 7:30 p. m., St. Leo's; June 4, 7:30 a. m., Cathedral; 10 a. m., St. Mary Magdalene; June 5, 9 a. m., St. Mary Cross; 7:30 p. m., St. Peter Claver.

## PRESIDENT HONORS CARDINAL.

President Taft has accepted an invitation to be present at the exercises attending the golden sacerdotal and silver cardinalate jubilee of Cardinal Gibbons at Baltimore next month.

## OLD ABBEY

**Of Gethsemane Opened Wide Its Portals For Governor and Party.**

**First Lady of the State Invades Precincts Barred to Women.**

**Gala Day For Monks, Visitors and College Boys Last Week.**

## FELICITOUS ADDRESSES MADE

Gov. Augustus E. Willson, his wife, members of his staff and a number of prominent men from various parts of Kentucky visited Gethsemane Abbey in Nelson county on Thursday last week. The visitors were warmly welcomed and hospitably entertained by the Right Rev. Abbot Obrecht and his fellow monks of the Cistercian order. According to the laws of Trappists women are not permitted to enter the precincts of their monasteries. Only the wife of the ruler of a country can pass beyond the threshold. Mrs. Willson, being the wife of the Governor of Kentucky, is considered an American Princess. Hence she and her lady friends were permitted to inspect every part of the historic old monastery.

Abbot Obrecht met his guests at the Tenth and Broadway Union station at 8 o'clock in the morning and accompanied them to Gethsemane on a special train. His guests included Gov. Willson, Mrs. Willson, Gen. Philip Preston Johnston, Col. Clarence R. Mengel, Mrs. Mengel, Col. William E. Koop, Mrs. Koop, Col. A. H. Egan, Mrs. Egan, Col. Arthur E. Taylor, Mrs. Taylor, Judge W. G. Dearing, Mrs. Dearing, Major Jackson Morris, Gov. Willson's private secretary; Mrs. Morris, Miss Nora B. Brown, Gov. Willson's stenographer; C. B. Compton, Mrs. Compton, Louis Seelbach, Mrs. Seelbach, Miss Catherine Kauffmann, Abbot Obrecht's niece, Otto Hill Wathen, Miss Eleanor Wathen, Mrs. J. J. Caffrey, Michael Herrmann, F. Joseph Herrmann, Fred Erhart, Sylvester Rapier, the Very Rev. C. J. O'Connell and John J. Barry, of New Haven.

At the station at Gethsemane the guests were placed in automobiles and taken to the abbey, about one and a half miles distant. The Stars and Stripes of the United States and the white and yellow papal flags decorated the abbey and college. The college band played "Dixie" and other spirited airs, and one of the college boys delivered the first address of welcome. In due form Mrs. Willson knocked at the porter's gate and the doors swung wide to admit her and her lady friends. Inside the portals were assembled the "Silent Brother of La Trappe." Some wore brown gowns of the lay brother, others wore white or white and black, according to their different station. In a few well chosen words Father Obrecht welcomed the Governor, his wife and assembled guests, and said among other things: "This, your visit today, will be a new link between you and those who even more than before will offer their prayers and sacrifices for Your Excellency, for Lady Willson, and for all your and our friends." Abbot Obrecht then presented each member of the Trappist community to Gov. and Mrs. Willson. Gov. Willson made a fitting response to Abbot Obrecht's address of welcome.

The monks then retired and set about their accustomed tasks, while Abbot Obrecht led Gov. Willson and his party through the monastery and adjoining grounds. The men were interested in the library, where priceless manuscripts and illuminated missals are preserved, while the women admired the handsomely embroidered vestments presented the Fathers of the abbey by nuns in South Africa. In the graveyard, which adjoins the abbey, Father Obrecht pointed out the resting places of noted opera singers, lawyers, doctors and soldiers, who had relinquished the world to live for Christ's sake alone. At noon Gov. Willson and his party sat down to a most hospitable spread served in Seelbach's best style.

At the close of the feast Abbot Obrecht delivered an appropriate address and once more bade the Governor and his partner a hearty welcome. Gov. Willson replied in kind and said in conclusion: "Oh, my friends, I am broken down with joy and gladness; I am overcome with a conviction of the falsity of selfishness and self-seeking; and I am determined to learn much from what I have seen this day. I pray that everyone here, strengthened in our friendship, regardless of party and creed, will go back into the busy world not only better Kentuckians, but better men and women."

Others who responded to toasts were Col. Marion E. Taylor, Louis Seelbach, Judge W. G. Dearing, Mrs. Louis Seelbach, Joseph Herrmann, Michael Herrmann, Col. William E. Koop, Major Jackson Morris, Col. Clarence R. Mengel, A. H. Egan, Gen. P. P. Johnston, Fred Erhart, Very Rev. Father Charles J. O'Connell, Mrs. J. J. Caffrey and Miss Eleanor Wathen.

The sun was sinking to its bed in the west and the Angelus was ring-

ing when the distinguished visitors took their departure. Gov. and Mrs. Willson were among the last to leave, and as they said farewell the Abbot raised his hand and gave them his blessing. It was a great day for the Governor and his wife, a great day for the monks and a great day for Kentucky. This lesson in religious tolerance ought to be widespread and everlasting.

## PLANS PRAISED.

**Father McKenna Invokes Blessing on Proposed Congress.**

The Holy Name Journal, a monthly publication conducted by the Jesuits, in its May number gives the expressions of many eminent ecclesiastics in favor of a Holy Name Congress. The sentiment in favor of such a congress has been growing for five years. Among those quoted is the venerable and Very Rev. Father Charles H. McKenna, O. P., well known in Louisville as former pastor of St. Louis Bertrand church, and one of the most eloquent members of the Order of Friars Preachers. Among other things Father McKenna says:

"May God bless the Holy Name Congress. May it be convened not because other congresses are held, but that it may result in infusing new life into every Holy Name Society throughout the country. May it be a call to arms in which all the Catholic men of America will enlist under the standard of the Holy Name to fight the irreligious spirit of our day, to destroy the revolt of Socialism against authority. May the Holy Name Congress bring a special blessing of God on the men and on the church of America."

## PRIOR GOES.

**Very Rev. Father Clark Will Assume Duties in Ohio.**

The Very Rev. Father J. R. Clark, O. P., Prior of St. Louis Bertrand church, will soon leave Louisville to assume the office of novice master at St. Joseph's College, Somers, Ohio. Father Clark has just closed a three-year term as Prior of St. Louis Bertrand's, but has been connected with that church during the past seven years. He is full of zeal and energy and much of the success of the church just closed was due to his executive ability. His congregation here are loath to part with him.

Father Clark is a native of Nelson county and is in thorough sympathy with the people of this State. During his regime as Prior Father Clark has done much toward building up the Holy Name Society, has established a confraternity of the Blessed Sacrament whose members practice the devotion of the Holy Hour every Thursday night, and has done much for the upbuilding of the parochial school.

## RECENT DEATHS.

Many friends are mourning the death of Frank Pearson, who died at his residence, Dixie avenue and First street, on Tuesday. The funeral took place from the Holy Name church on Thursday afternoon.

Martin Senn, thirty-two years old, died at the family residence, 1146 South Fifteenth street, last Saturday afternoon. The deceased was a son of Frank Senn, and was highly respected by all who knew him. The funeral took place from St. Peter's church on Monday morning and was very largely attended.

Will Hannon and his wife, May Bradley Hannon, have the sincere sympathy of many friends in their distress over the death of their infant son, John David, who passed away while the Angelus was ringing on Friday evening of last week. It would seem that one angel summoned another home. Death occurred at the family residence, 424 Garden street. The funeral took place on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Ellen Morris, the venerable mother of Officer John Morris, died on Wednesday night. She had been suffering from a complication of diseases and death was not unexpected. The remains reposed at the residence of her son, 2414 Bank street, until the hour of the funeral. Mrs. Morris is also survived by a daughter, who is a member of the Sisters of Charity of Nazareth.

## FRIENDS ALARMED.

William J. O'Sullivan, who recently became a bridegroom, became suddenly ill on Tuesday, and on Wednesday his condition became so alarming that it was necessary to remove him to St. Joseph's Infirmary. There he submitted to an operation for appendicitis. While his condition is quite critical, his physicians, Drs. Able and McDermott, and his many friends hope that his vigorous constitution will pull him through the present ordeal.

## REMEMBERED ORPHANS.

John Keenan, a well known commercial traveler, died recently at his home in Sioux Falls, S. D. His will was probated a few days ago and provides that upon the death of his wife \$10,000 be appropriated for an orphan's home to be erected in the city of Sioux Falls. From his personal property he left \$500 to St. Michael's parochial school in that city.

## ADDAMS

**Looms Up As Candidate For the Democratic Gubernatorial Nomination.**

**Three Aspirants For Second Place Arc Racing Neck and Neck.**

**Rumors of Combinations Behind Each Make Contest Interesting.**

## LABOR MEN OPPOSE VAN METER

Although politics is receiving much attention in Kentucky, there seems to be no bitterness among the candidates and their supporters. Judge William Addams, of Cynthiana, who is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Governor, appears to be growing in strength every day. Wherever he goes Judge Addams makes friends. True it is that ex-Gov. McCreary has a thorough organization, but his chief lieutenants are shop-worn politicians. They are the articles that a live man would dispose of at a bargain sale. They may be of use to somebody somewhere, just like an old banjo with three strings would make a Southern darkey happy, but it would not satisfy the ambitions of a sweet girl graduate.

The race for the Democratic nomination for Lieutenant Governor promises to be a little livelier. Knowing politicians throughout the State seem to utterly disagree as to the winner and as to the place and show men. From the best available advice it would seem that Attorney W. M. Smith has Mayor Head and the entire Louisville administration organization behind him. Mr. Smith is an able lawyer and ranks high as a citizen and neighbor.

Current rumor also has it that James P. Edwards is being backed by Attorney Aaron Kohn, James Smith, a former Alderman and member of the Board of Safety, and by the so-called "Big Four"—Harvey McCutcheon, Eli Brown, Graham Vreeland and Sam Shackelford. As the story goes Hon. Herman D. Nease and Dr. Albert A. Delg are backing Hon. E. J. McDermott. Both of these gentlemen are good organizers. Any politician would be glad to have the good offices of these gentlemen. Besides Mr. McDermott will have the support of the McCreary organization. According to the judgment of the wisest local and State politicians Mr. Smith may carry Louisville by a handsome majority in the primary with the support of the Head administration. The First, Second and Third Congressional districts are claimed by Mr. Smith's managers, who expect an even break in the rest of the State.

Friends of Hon. Edward J. McDermott, through the Kentucky Irish American, make this explanation of his candidacy:

Edward J. McDermott is a candidate for Lieutenant Governor from a sense of duty and at the sacrifice of his own interests, because the next two sessions of the Legislature will probably make some radical legal changes that will call for great care and discretion, and that will affect all of us vitally in many ways; because if we lose the State officers next November we will lose the Legislature and have two Republican United States Senators, and will lose Kentucky's vote in the Presidential election next year and will have the State so redistributed as to lose a majority of our Congressional delegation and the Legislature for ten years to come and lose the city administration also; because the Democrat who, by his vote or silence, helps to beat the Democratic ticket this fall will cut off his nose to spite his face; because the Democratic party is our best hope for low taxes, for good government and for fair treatment of every citizen of the State; because the Lieutenant Governor as President of the Senate has much power for good or ill, and in case of the absence, illness or death of the Governor, takes his place; because so much is at stake that this is not the time for irritating side issues and personal feeling, but for calm thought and far-seeing, cool judgment; because every disinterested man must see that each one of us has too much to lose by throwing away an opportunity for good right now and hereafter, too.

The State Treasurer's race promises to be another warm feature in the Democratic primary. The Louisville and State labor organizations have lined up to a man against Van Meter. If he loses the labor vote he can not win. The Republicans are having their troubles, too. Judge Edward G. O'Rear, who aspires to the gubernatorial nomination, finds he is not presiding at a State Sunday-school picnic. Hon. E. F. Franks and Lieut. Gov. Cox are giving him a hard fight. The editor of the Louisville Post is for him. A few days ago a meeting was called in Louisville in the interest of Judge O'Rear. Roll call showed that D. B. O'Rear, Nick Denunzio and other representatives of the Louisville Post were present. The list of names read like a Post pay roll. Judge O'Rear, Messrs. Franks and Cox are conducting clean but energetic campaigns. Any of them will make a strong candidate, but the man who stands for law and order in Kentucky will get the people's votes.

There are to be twenty-four Councilmen, twelve Aldermen and members of the Legislature also to be elected this year. With a few changes in the line up of Aldermen and Councilmen the Democratic party ought to elect its own legislators next November.

## OPPOSES DIVORCE.

**The Baptist Organ Makes Plea For Cleaner Lives.**

The Western Recorder, one of the leading Baptist publications in the United States, has taken a stand against divorce. It is the stand that Baptists might have profitably taken years ago, and yet the Western Recorder admits that divorce is occasionally admissible. The Western Recorder editorial of Thursday, May 25, says:

According to the census reports, more than a million divorces have been granted in this country in the last twenty years. In the past ten years there has been one divorce for every ten marriages. Should the number of divorces increase in the next few decades, in the same ratio it has for the past ten years, it will equal the marriages.

While it is true that there are cases in which divorce is entirely justifiable, there can be little doubt but that in the great majority of cases it is without excuse or apology. The wanton and reckless disregard of marriage vows not only reveals a deplorable lack of truth and sincerity, but betokens, if possible, even a worse state of affairs in coming years.

The citadel of a nation is the home, and the deadliest foe to the home is the divorce court. The present greatness of our nation has been achieved through the peace and purity of its homes. Whatever therefore threatens the purity and perpetuity of our homes is to be dreaded more than death and shunned more than dishonor.

Certainly, we confront in this question a serious problem, and one which calls for speedy and drastic treatment. It would seem that a uniform divorce law, rigidly enforced, is the first and most needed measure of relief. Added to this there should be a campaign of education, in which our young people should be taught the solemnity and responsibility of marriage. Let those who are to be joined in the holy bonds of matrimony be made to feel that their lives are one "till death us do part." Let no one approach the marriage altar without serious thought and earnest prayer, then shall it come to pass that marriages, which are made in heaven, shall not be broken on earth. It would be timely also for those who have, or are contemplating separation, to picture to themselves the bankrupt home, the orphaned children, and the bitter but unavailing regret.

## FIRM AS ROCK.

**Latest Reports Show Catholic Knights in Front Rank.**

Dr. Felix Gaudin, Supreme President of the Catholic Knights of America, and Capt. Michael Quinn, of Brooklyn, N. Y., members of the Supreme Board of Trustees, spent Sunday in Louisville. Dr. Gaudin was en route to his home in New Orleans, and Capt. Quinn to Brooklyn. Both are well known to local Catholic Knights. They were returning from St. Louis, where they had attended a meeting of the Supreme Board. Both of them talked freely to a representative of the Kentucky Irish American concerning the affairs of the order.

All reports submitted to the Supreme Board showed that the Catholic Knights of America were now in better shape than ever. Not only is the financial standing excellent, but the membership is constantly increasing. Its present rates place it at the head of all fraternal organizations. All the insurance commissions in the various States recognize this as a fact. No insurance organization in the United States, fraternal or old line, is safer. No fraternal organization in the country could suspend today and pay its members as much pro rata as the C. K. of A.

In view of all these facts it is surprising that Catholic men join fraternal societies that are not only non-Catholic but often dangerously near the point of antagonism to the faith.

## NEW DISTRICT COMMITTEEMAN.

Campbell Kennedy, one of the best known young railroad officials in Louisville and a staunch Democrat, has been elected the member of the State Central Committee from the Fifth district. The election was held at a meeting of the Democratic City and County Committee on Thursday afternoon. Mr. Kennedy succeeds Ernest H. Newman, who resigned as a member of the committee because he declared he did not believe he should hold the office of County Commissioner and serve as committeeman at the same time.

## FOR CHARITY'S SAKE.

It is very probable that a conference of the St. Vincent de Paul Society will be instituted in Frankfort at an early date. Rev. Father Thomas Major is interested in the project, and the Frankfort Knights of Columbus are among the chief promoters.

## CABINET

**Ministers Would Not Require Division When Landsome's Bill Passed.**

**Inclusion of France Puts Damp on Anglo-American Peace Treaty.**

**Lloyd-George's Reform Bill Will Work Revolution in England.**

## CHANCES FOR HOME RULE

Lord Lansdowne's bill for the reconstruction of the British House of Lords passed its second reading in the house last Monday. It was passed without division after War Secretary Haldane announced that the Government would not divide against it. The Secretary said he welcomed the evidence the bill afforded that the Conservatives were convinced of the need of reforming the House of Lords, but the Government held that the passage of the veto bill was essential before steps were taken in that direction.

The second reading of the veto bill was passed to the House of Lords on Tuesday. The Lords will eventually capitulate and pass the bill with the expectation that it will be repealed when the Unionists return to power.

Cold chills ran down the backs of the supporters of the Anglo-American peace pact in London when it was announced that advice from Washington made it perfectly plain that the proposals were less broad than was anticipated. France's inclusion, while not disapproved, would seem to reduce the general scope of the arbitration. The English would like to have a working agreement with the United States, but they sadly oppose America extending like hand of fellowship across the sea to either France or Germany.

Few developments are expected in Parliament until after the coronation ceremonies. Then the Lords will make a final attempt to exclude home rule from the veto bill. Any such attempt to limit the scope of the veto bill will be rejected by Premier Asquith and Minister Churchill. The Premier will not have to suggest the creation of new Peers, and it is expected that the veto bill in its present shape will become a law before July 1. The Tories are hoping against hope that a discussion of the details of home rule will bring about a break between the Irish Nationalists and Liberals. The Tories in their hearts are not so violently against home rule as formerly, but they are tied hand and foot for the time being by the Irish Orange faction.

Meanwhile Irishmen everywhere are full of hope. The Irish organization of Great Britain, which will meet in Cork this year as an answer to the O'Brien faction, has had a record year in its history. Subscriptions are coming in almost entirely from poor Scotch and English workmen, and have already reached the splendid total of \$30,000.

Besides the Lords' veto bill and the home rule bill the Britishers are all agog concerning Lloyd-George's bill for reforming conditions among the poor and aged of Great Britain. If it becomes a law it will affect Ireland as well as England. According to Lloyd-George's bill a system of sanitariums are to be created and many other steps taken to prevent the spread of tuberculosis. Momentous as this scheme is, the greatest feature of his bill is the absolute revolution he proposes to make in ancient English habits and customs. It asks for nothing less than an absolute transformation of all their habits, ideas and temperament.

Under the new bill the Britisher is asked to place himself under compulsion in almost every hour and step of his life. He is not asked but forced to contribute to the protection of old age and against the perils of sickness and unemployment while he is still in his prime. If his bill becomes a law Lloyd-George will go down in history as the greatest reformer England has ever known.

## JEFFERSONVILLE LADY DEAD.

Mrs. Margaret Keefe, an aged and respected resident of Jeffersonville, died at the home of her son-in-law, Patrick Dixon, 629 Missouri avenue, on Monday evening. The deceased was the widow of Pierce Keefe, who died several years ago. She was born in Ireland more than eighty years ago, but had lived in Jeffersonville since young womanhood. Her funeral took place from St. Augustine's church on Wednesday morning and was attended by many sorrowing relatives and friends.

## CONFIRMATION CLASSES.

Large classes of children will receive their first holy communion tomorrow at St. Anthony's, St. Martin's and St. Boniface's churches. The Right Rev. Bishop O'Donoghue will administer the sacrament of confirmation to a class of several hundred children at St. Boniface church at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow evening. Last Sunday Bishop O'Donoghue confirmed large classes at St. John's and St. Vincent de Paul's.



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## THE CITY OF IGNORANCE.

It is with pity, not rancor, that every tolerant man and woman in the United States will regard the spirit of intolerance that showed its head at a meeting of the General Assembly of the Southern Presbyterian church in this city last Monday evening. The mover of resolutions denouncing the Roman Catholic church as a menace to civil and religious liberty went a little beyond himself. He also said that history would show his statements to be true. The preacher's remarks came as a climax to the tercentenary celebration of the King James' Bible.

Where would the English speaking people of the world today had a Bible were it not for the Catholic church? Who guarded the Bible, who made the arts and sciences popular and kept them alive in the so-called dark ages? Who provided education in Europe when it was overrun by the Goths, the Huns and the Danes?

The Catholic church.

Who discovered America? The Catholic Christopher Columbus, financed by Ferdinand and Isabella, the Catholic King and Queen of Spain, Catholic warriors, fired by the zeal of St. Bernard, fought the Crusades that prevented Mohammedanism from oversteering Europe. When the spirit of religious and civil intolerance ran riot in New England the Catholic Lord Baltimore and his colony established a seat of religious and civil liberty in Maryland. Sullivan, Wayne, Murphy and Barrys are numerous in the war of the Revolution, and what signer of the Declaration of Independence had more at stake than Carroll of Carrollton? When Jackson fought at New Orleans in the war of 1812-15 his ablest supporters were the Jasper Greens, a regiment of Irish Catholics. There were Catholic soldiers as well as Catholic leaders like Gens. Shields and Phil Kearney in the Mexican war. What American is there who would detract from the fame of a Sheridan, a Rosecrans, a Corcoran and his gallant Sixty-ninth, or of a Cleburne and a Beauregard during the civil war?

Would this pitiful Presbyterian say that Father Abram Ryan was a foe to civil and religious liberty because he gave to the people of the South "The Conquered Banner."

All the Presbyterians are not to be censured for the offenses or mistakes of a few.

## PEACE, BUT NO ALLIANCE.

There are toadies in the United States as well as in England who dearly love a Lord and adore a King. These are the fellows who are boosting the peace treaty with Great Britain. The United States needs no such treaty, and England has the reputation of making treaties only to break them. It is admitted that such a treaty would prove very acceptable to the British Government, because it knows that Americans would keep its pact.

Why should the British Government be so solicitous now, when fifty years ago it not only sympathized with the Confederacy but actually placed soldiers aboard ships to send them to aid in disrupting the American Union?

The United States needs no offensive and defensive alliance with any of the powers. She wants peace with all. France gave us a Lafayette, Germany a von Steuben, Poland a Kosciuszko. England sent us a Cornwallis and bought a Benedict Arnold. Will loyal Americans join hands with an old enemy as against old friends? Or will they remember Michael Scanlon's "Address to Columbia?"

"You now have royal beaux around, Who flash about you late and soon, Like stars about the summer moon, Outrivalled by your glory; But in the days when you were young, And sleuth-hounds on your foot-steps hung, And British tyrants gave them tongue, 'Twas then a different story." Give us peace, but no offensive and defensive alliance with Great Britain.

## DAILIES OWE APOLOGY.

Several Louisville daily papers of the dangerous kind, the kind that go off when they are not loaded, jumped on Gov. Willson this week and charged him with pardoning Matthew Kelly, a negro convict who committed a double murder last week. Gov. Willson did not pardon

Kelly. He was paroled by the State Prison Board and the State records about by a petition signed by prominent Louisville office-holders, professional and business men. A Republican Governor is not always as black as painted.

## POPE PIUS' WISDOM.

Class after class in our various parish churches are receiving their first holy communion. Many of them are just at the age of reason. The pious demeanor of these little ones, their evident understanding of the great honor and privilege that had come to them, has been edifying to all. Pope Pius X., who at the outset of his regime announced his desire to restore all things to Christ, insisted on the smaller children receiving holy communion. In this fair land of ours there were many who doubted the advisability of allowing young children to receive this, the greatest of all sacraments. Their doubts have been dispelled since they witnessed the piety of these children. These little ones, as they grow in age, will have a strength to resist temptations that are common to the young. They will remember their first holy communion and will become good men and good women.

## SUNDAY BASEBALL.

Will somebody please show us what harm there is in a game of baseball on Sunday? Last week the Rev. Father Phelan, editor of the "St. Louis Western Watchman," wrote: "Several of our Eastern Catholic papers have joined forces with the Puritans in demanding the enactment of laws forbidding Sunday baseball. We do not know any political or social institution in the United States that has done so much for morality as professional baseball, and the Sunday game is the climax of moral improvement among our boys."

To all of which the Kentucky Irish American says "amen" and expresses the hope that Kentucky legislators will never become narrow-minded enough to put a quietus on Sunday baseball. It is the great national game, and playing the game or watching others play it does not constitute a desecration of the Sabbath.

## ANTI-SOCIALIST NUMBER.

The Providence Visitor, a newspaper representing the interests of Catholics in Rhode Island, made its appearance last week with fifty-six pages. The entire edition is devoted to a fight on Socialism. Every article is well worth reading and giving to your friends. The Providence Visitor ought to be welcome in homes outside of Rhode Island. It is full of news, truth and vigor.

We are all more or less prone to pity poor Ireland, but why? Ireland has little material prosperity, no national freedom, but she has the grandest heritage in the world, an unbroken possession of the true faith. While England and the United States reek with the weeds of divorce and others forms of Mormonism, Ireland proudly refuses them a root in her soil. Do not pity her then; admire her, for her glories are the eternal glories that can never fade.

Every devotion may be abused or the unwary may be scandalized at the exploitations of outsiders. Just at the present time while medals are being used in many instances to take the place of scapulars, non-Catholic individuals and firms are advertising the advantage of wearing scapular medals. Buy your medals, scapulars, prayer books and statuary from Catholic dealers in such wares.

The Cecilia Choral Club, the Trinity Choral Club and the Mackin Choral Club, all organizations of Catholic young people, have demonstrated this year that something is being done for the moral and social elevation of their members. This form of entertainment is wholesome, profitable and of an educational value. Each organization deserves well of the people.

American men and women have filled all the berths in trans-Atlantic steamers in order to see a crown placed on the head of George V. Do they forget that Americans played football with that crown and, on July 4, 1776, kicked it across the Atlantic ocean?

## IN MEMORY OF REV. DENIS MURPHY.

The night is starless and a sable bark,  
All fringed with light from the eternal shore,  
Doth bear the vesper soul unto its throne  
All robed in dazzling immortality.  
Anointed as thou wert, the prince of God,  
With holy chrism thou didst each day teach  
His perfect rhythm in the golden song  
Of kindly deeds and life of sacrifice.  
Each deed doth shine resplendent as the stars  
And numerous as the dew-drops which the sun  
Imparts on every amaranthine leaf  
Of virgin bloom and votive cypress wreath.  
Thou didst unveil thy soul's pure sanctuary,  
Where consecrated, hidden treasure lay,  
And woven hymns and symphonies of love  
Swept on in wondrous strain from soul to soul.  
Far, far beyond the shadow of our light,  
Amid the suns that gem infinity,  
With seraphs thou dost glorify His name,  
Thy lot is cast forever with the Lamb.  
Be near us when life's light is burning low,  
When on the verge of the eternal day  
We hold the chalice to our lips and drink  
What all must taste—Death's dark, dark sacrament.  
Julia C. King.

## SOCIETY.

Mrs. Mary Fitzgerald, of New Albany, is visiting relatives at Columbia, Ky.

Miss Edith Malone is visiting in Memphis as the guest of Miss Florence Signala.

T. A. Barrett, the well known funeral director, has gone to West Baden for a ten days' rest.

Dr. Leo Kearns has returned from Owensboro, where he attended the meeting of the State Dental Society.

Miss Lula Riley, of French Lick, Ind., has been spending the week here as the guest of Miss Annabelle Cox.

William B. O'Connell, who was here for a visit to John P. Hanley, has returned to his home at Newport.

Miss Katherine Mattingly, of the Highlands, has been visiting at Lebanon, the guest of Miss Althaire Mattingly.

Mrs. Mary Morgan, of 932 West Oak street, wife of Officer Ebenezer Morgan, has returned from a visit to friends in Florida.

Miss Nell Kahoe, who had been visiting relatives in Evansville, has returned to her home on East Main street, New Albany.

Miss Bertha Ford, of South Louisville, and her cousin, James Rainey, have returned from a visit to relatives at Bowling Green.

Misses Linnie and Allie Brady, who were the guests of Mrs. Mary Brady in Clifton, left Saturday for their home in Covington.

Mr. and Mrs. William Higgins, of this city, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Higgins, of St. Louis, left Monday to spend a week at Dawson Springs.

Mrs. Rose Fallon has announced the engagement of her sister, Miss Minnie B. Smith, to Irvin L. Glass. The wedding will take place in August.

Mrs. Anna Thornton and daughter, Miss Anna, left Saturday for their home at Paris, after a delightful visit with Mrs. J. P. Hanley at Crescent Hill.

Mrs. Bernard J. Jansing and Miss Mary G. Cawthon returned Saturday from Ohio, where they attended the annual meeting of the Ursuline Convent in Brown county.

Mrs. Frank A. Clegg, of 2108 West Chestnut street, had as her guests this week her cousins, Mrs. George Cunningham and Mrs. Agnes McDonald, of Montreal, Canada.

Announcement is made in Jeffersonville of the approaching marriage of Miss Lena Roederer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Roederer, and Alvin Malone, the wedding to take place during June.

Spending the past week at West Raden Springs were Rev. Charles P. Raffo, Charles J. O'Connor, S. M. Raffo, Philip Ackermann, Pat J. Regan and A. B. Hulskamp, who are expected to return today.

Miss Stella Kehoe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Kehoe, of Jeffersonville, has been elected assistant editor-in-chief of the 1912 Revenant to be published next year by the Junior class of Hanover College.

Edward Wall, who visited his home in Jeffersonville on account of the illness of his father, Capt. Mike A. Wall, returned to Cincinnati yesterday. Capt. Wall's friends are glad to hear that he is improving.

Miss Alene Pettit, of Dant, and Richard A. Cecil, of New Haven, will be united in marriage at St. Francis church at Chicago, Ky., on June 6. The bride is the charming daughter of George Pettit, of Dant.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel F. Murphy announce the engagement of their popular and accomplished daughter, Miss Marie Murphy, to Robert T. Burke, the well known young lawyer. The wedding will take place next month.

Miss Katherine Baldwin, of 333 North Twenty-sixth street, entertained last week in honor of her friend, Miss Nell Dant, of Loretto. After supper was served the happy crowd of young people enjoyed an automobile ride through the city. Both guest and hostess have many admirers.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wiegand, of 1013 Marshall street, entertained last Sunday afternoon and evening in honor of their daughter, Florence Wiegand, who received her first holy communion and was confirmed at St. John's church. A bountiful supper was served and an orchestra discoursed sweet music.

St. Louis Bertrand's church was the scene of a pretty and happy marriage ceremony Wednesday morning, when the Rev. Father J. R. Clark, O. P., united in the holy bonds of wedlock Miss Mary A. Barrett and J. Howard Coy. There was a large gathering at the church to extend congratulations to the worthy couple, who will make their home at 1018 West Oak street.

The residence of John J. Barrett, 822 East Main street, was the rendezvous of Irish minstrelsy on Thursday night of last week. An evening of real Irish melody was enjoyed and the chief factors in the entertainment were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carleton, of Brooklyn, N. Y., who have an Irish song and humor turn at the Gayety Theater this week. Among those who enjoyed the music were Messrs. and Mesdames T. A. Barrett, Raymond Barrett, James P. Hannan, Bernard P. J. Kavanagh, Messrs. Barnett Barrett, Walter Barrett, and Misses Mary, Wilhelmina Barrett, Mary Catherine Hannan and Annie Breakshaw.

## HAPPY CHRISTENING.

Holy Cross parish will be increased by one tomorrow afternoon when Uncle Joe Higgins and Aunt Nellie Noonan walk up the aisle carrying a dainty little maiden in fluffy garments and ask the Rev. Father Sheridan to baptize her as Mary Eileen. The good soggarth will look around and see Grandpa William M. Higgins and Grandma Mary Clines and Pa Tommy Clines and Aunt Hatie Higgins, Aunt Mary Clines, Aunt Margaret Higgins, Uncle John Clines, Uncle Frank Higgins and little William and Hugh. All Hugh Clines, and will say to himself, if not openly, "Mary Eileen, I hope I'll never be too ill nor too busy to decline to christen a Clines."

## EXCURSION TO JASPER.

Judging from present indications and promises of support the excursion to Jasper, Ind., on Sunday, June 1, will be a great success. Uniform Rank and Central Committee, C. K. of A., have joined hands in promoting the excursion and a great day is assured all who attend. The people of Jasper have arranged to welcome their Kentucky brethren with open arms. The committee in charge has all details arranged and is anxious for the day to roll around.

## TRINITY WINS CLERGY.

Trinity Council held a well attended meeting on Monday night, President V. K. Ecker occupied the chair. Nicholas Hubbuch, Sr., who has been confined to his home for some time, was reported improving. Carl Veith was reported ill. Rev. Father Patrick Monaghan, Secretary, Bishop O'Donoghue and Rev. Father S. J. Mensa were elected to membership. The application of Louis N. Ecker was also received. Quite a lot of routine business was disposed of during the evening.

## SURPRISED.

Miss Blanche Fliley, of New Albany, was given a surprise dinner at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Winn, of 1013 Beeler street, last Sunday afternoon. It was the occasion of her birthday and many of her friends were guests. Among those present were Misses Ida Fliley, Annie Hurley, Grace Hurley, Gertrude Hurley, Annie Bullock, Irene Lips and Pearl Winn. Music followed the dinner and all enjoyed the hospitality offered by Mr. and Mrs. Winn.

## ST. MICHAEL'S CLASS.

Rev. Father Martin O'Connor will administer first holy communion to a class of fifty children at St. Michael's church at the 7 o'clock mass tomorrow morning. Right Rev. Bishop O'Donoghue will administer the sacrament of confirmation to the same class at 8 o'clock. St. Michael's church will be crowded by friends of the children on both occasions.

## FATHER GAFFNEY MAY COME.

There is a well defined rumor in local circles that the Rev. Father Francis A. Gaffney, O. P., will soon come to Louisville to succeed Father Clark as Prior of St. Louis Bertrand's. Father Gaffney is well and favorably known in Louisville and will keep alive the Dominican spirit in that parish.

## CLOSE OF MISSION.

The mission which began at St. Mary Magdalen church last Sunday morning will close tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock. The church has been crowded at the exercises both morning and evening. Two eloquent Jesuits, Rev. Fathers Albert J. Dierkes and Michael Leary, conducted the mission. The pastor, Rev. Father William Gausepohl, is very much gratified at the way his parishioners attended the mission.

## UNIVERSITY REQUESTS.

The Catholic University at Washington is receiving benefits through bequests, but none of them from the very rich. Within the past few weeks it received \$10,000 from the estate of Martin J. Kavanagh, of Brooklyn; \$1,000 from the estate of Miss Ellen Haggerty, also of Brooklyn, and \$5,000 from the estate of Mrs. Mary Mahoney, of the same city.

## NEW LOUISVILLE JOCKEY CLUB SPRING MEETING

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## STARS SHONE

And There Were Myriads In Evidence at "The Campus."

Mackin Council's Choral Club played "The Campus" to crowded houses at the Mary Anderson Theater on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings, and expects to have a record breaking attendance at the matinee this afternoon. Pretty girls, gowned as sweet girl graduates, staid boys, tasteful scenery and catchy music made up an attraction that seldom falls to the lot of amateurs. Those who saw "The Campus" will go to any other show given under the auspices of Mackin. It was a clean, wholesome, rollicking show, the kind that makes one forget troubles and starts one out with a new lease on life.

It will not do to particularize on the stars, because each boy and girl was a star in his or her part. Miss Abbie Chester, as the leading lady, was as dainty and winsome as ever. Yet she was generous enough to divide honors with Miss Lanna Long and Miss Bertha Cohn. They were a trio of American beauties that would attract attention anywhere. Thomas D. Clines, Aulyn Kanston, Louis Kieffer, Patrick King, George Kieffer and Adolphus Andriotti had the leading male roles and each acquitted himself admirably. The great interest centers around the prize fight at the close of the first act. Women and children get excited and hold their breath until this scene is over.

If you are worried or have that tired feeling go out and see "The Campus" this afternoon. You will come away feeling in a better humor with yourself, your enemies and the world at large.

## WORK ON WING.

Cardinal Gibbons Memorial Hall at Washington, D. C.

The Cardinal Gibbons Memorial Hall at Washington, D. C., has been begun, and one wing of it will be ready for the opening of the university in October. This wing will contain rooms for sixty students, and will have in the basement a large and commodious recreation room. The basement of the tower will also be built and will give room for a commodious temporary chapel for the students of Gibbons' Hall and Albert Hall. The material used is Post Deposit granite and the trimmings are Bedford limestone. This wing, 105x40 feet, will be three stories in height, and will be fire-proof throughout.

## FAREWELL, NOT GOODBYE.

Lovers of Irish music had a real treat at the Gayety Theater this week in hearing the Carletons, Frank and Kate, in a few minutes of wit and melody. "The Minstrel Boy," "The Kerry Dances," "Criskeen Lawn," "Last Rose of Summer" and "Believe Me, If All Those Endearing Young Charms" followed in such rapid succession that the real Irish were entranced. Mrs. Carleton has a soprano voice of wide and exquisite sweetness, while Mr. Carleton has a baritone that is powerful and full of melody. Both sing Irish melodies like they loved them. It is hoped they will come soon again. Their turn is a pleasing innovation along Irish comedy lines. As soon as the people in America learn to appreciate what this turn means Mr. and Mrs. Carleton will have many imitators in Irish musical acts.

## CAPT. JACK GILLOOLY.

The Life-saving headquarters at Washington, D. C., have nominated John F. Gillooly to succeed the late William M. Devan as Captain of the local life-saving station. Capt. Gillooly has been a member of the local life-saving crew since its establishment and has taken part in many thrilling rescues. He was born of Irish parents at Jackson, Miss., but has spent most of his life in Louisville. Capt. Gillooly is a practical Catholic and a devout member of the Cathedral parish.

## SHORT AND BUSY.

On account of the euchar at Bertrand Hall last Monday night President Hennessy hustled business through in the meeting of Division 4, A. O. H. Edward Nash was proposed for membership. R. E. Noonan was elected a member, and Pat McGuire and John Lawless were obligated. It was announced before the meeting closed that there would be a special meeting to initiate a large class next Monday evening. When the meeting adjourned the members went upstairs and took part in the euchar.

## QUITE SUCCESSFUL.

The bazaar for the benefit of St. Louis Bertrand church was a great success. When all the returns are made it is believed the funds will aggregate \$10,000. Father Clark and the other Dominicans resident in Louisville return thanks to all who aided in making the bazar a success.

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## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

Late News That Will Interest Members Here and Elsewhere.

The council at Anderson, Ind., will put on the three degrees tomorrow. Wisconsin Knights have appropriated \$500 for the support of St. Paul University chapel at Madison.

All the councils in Cincinnati and the rest of Hamilton county, Ohio, will hold a joint initiation on Decoration day.

Several States have adopted the suggestion that the three degrees should hereafter be given on separate occasions.

Newport and Bishop Carroll Councils will hold a joint initiation tomorrow. M. V. Kannally and his Chicago team will exemplify the third degree.

Attending the working of the third degree at Manchester, N. H., were 1,200 members, the largest gathering of Knights that ever attended a similar occasion in New England.

Milwaukee Knights are planning to erect a \$50,000 building in the rear of its present quarters. The new building will include a meeting hall, gymnasium, swimming pool and bowling alleys.

Tomorrow will be a great day for the Louisville Knights. In the morning they will receive holy communion at the Cathedral, and in the afternoon will receive a large class into the order.

Indianapolis Council conferred the first degree on a class of fifty candidates on Monday night. Next Monday the same candidates will receive the second degree. The third degree will be exemplified early in June.

A class of eighty will receive the three degrees at Richmond, Ind., tomorrow. Teams from Connorsville, Brookville and Fort Wayne will put on the degree work. Elaborate preparations have been made to entertain the visitors.

## LATEST STAKE DATES.

The big event of the week at Churchill Downs will be the Louisville handicap, which will be run this afternoon. It has a value of \$2,500 and some of the best horses in the city will be in the contest. On Tuesday, Decoration day, the Tobacco stakes will be the feature. The Juvenile stakes for two-year-olds will be run on Thursday, while a double event, the Frank Fehr stakes and Gentlemen's cup, will be run next Saturday. The Paris mutual machines continue to give satisfaction to the patrons of the sport.

## OLD RESIDENCE DESTROYED.

"Chesterville," the original home of George Wythe, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence, and said to be the oldest residence in the United States, was destroyed by fire on Monday morning. It was located near Hampton, Va.

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## OLD FRIEND A VISITOR.

Charles G. Wood, special agent of the New York Life Insurance Company, formerly of this city and now of Cincinnati, is visiting his old friends in Louisville this week. Mr. Wood is so old and expert in the insurance business that he can make good anywhere, and he is certainly making good in Cincinnati. His Irish friends in Louisville were glad to meet and greet him this week.

## KEEPS BLOSSOMS FRESH.

A bit of sugar dissolved in the water in which cut flowers are standing is an English way of keeping the blossoms fresh.

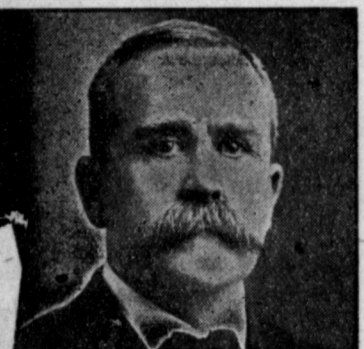


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**BEST SHOWING.**  
Catholic Lead in Church  
Attendance in  
London.

The Baptist World, which is  
usually at war with the Catholic  
church, in its issue of Thursday,  
May 25, said:  
Sir W. Robertson Nicoll has a  
powerful plea in the British Weekly  
for "A League of Worshipping Chil-  
dren" who will form the habit of  
going to church. He pleads that  
there is growing up a generation of  
children who have not formed the  
habit of going to church. He gives  
the statistics for Aberdeen, which  
are very alarming. In the Estab-  
lished church only 14.7 per cent. of  
the Sunday-school children go to  
church. In the Free church it is a  
shade better, 19.6 per cent. The  
Baptists show only 15.3 per cent.,  
the Congregationalists, 18.62 per  
cent. The Roman Catholics make the  
best showing with 30.5 per cent.  
The result is already manifest in de-  
creased attendance at church wor-  
ship, particularly in the evening.  
The young people did not form the  
habit of going to church when chil-  
dren and do not go now that they  
are older. They do not love worship  
with all the charm of fellowship with  
the eternal God. The British Free  
churches continue to show a steady  
decrease in membership because the  
children are not converted. We have  
come to the curious crisis when the  
Sunday-school which was started to  
win the children to Christ and the  
church may take the place of the  
church and of Christ. This ought  
not to be so, it need not be so. But,  
alas, it is so in too many instances.  
It behooves pastors, parents, teach-  
ers to awaken to the situation and  
to rectify it. Mend your own fences.  
Do your Sunday-school pupils stay  
to church?

**BRIEF SESSION.**  
Mackin Council held a brief and  
busy meeting on Monday night. Vice  
President Joseph Hancock presided.  
James Mullarkey and W. F.  
Schaezley, who have been ill, were  
reported improving. A. H. Senn was  
also reported on the sick list. Only  
matters of ordinary routine were dis-  
posed of. The Opera Committee  
reported everything ready for  
Wednesday night.

**ST. PHILIP NERI'S.**  
Right Rev. Bishop O'Donoghue  
administered the sacrament of con-  
firmation to a class of ninety-two  
children at St. Philip Neri church,  
Floyd and Woodbine streets, yester-  
day. The Bishop spoke earnestly  
and eloquently to the young Chris-  
tian soldiers. The children had  
been carefully trained under the di-  
rection of Rev. Dr. O. P. Ackermann.

**RECOVERS FROM INJURIES.**  
Miss Margaret Hines, of Jefferson-  
ville, who was injured while getting  
on a street car some time ago and  
has been in a nervous condition  
since, is again at her desk at the  
Court House, and is much improved.  
She is not reporting the cases now  
on trial, but will shortly resume  
her duties as court stenographer.

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Cool and delightful are the  
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**SECOND CLASS.**  
A class of sixty-five boys and  
girls ranging in age from ten to  
eleven years will receive first holy  
communion at St. Vincent de Paul  
church at 8 o'clock mass tomorrow.  
In the afternoon at 2:30 o'clock the  
same children will be enrolled in the  
Confraternity of the Scapular. May  
devotions and benediction of the  
Blessed Sacrament will close the  
exercises.

**MONTH'S MIND.**  
Next Tuesday morning at 9  
o'clock the Rev. Father Lawrence B.  
Ford will celebrate a month's mind  
mass for the repose of the soul of  
Father Denis Murphy at St. Wil-  
lam's church, Thirteenth and Oak  
streets. Quite a number of priests of  
the diocese and many friends out-  
side the parish are expected to be  
present.

**CHURCH IMPROVEMENT.**  
The Board of Trustees of St.  
Mary's church, New Albany, has  
caused a granite plaza to be con-  
structed in front of the church. The  
board is now planning to alter the  
church spire and install a modern  
heating plant.

**FAMOUS PRIEST COMING.**  
Rev. Father Bernard Vaughan,  
the famous London Jesuit priest,  
will visit the United States on a  
preaching and lecture tour next Sep-  
tember.

**VISITOR FROM SOUTH.**  
John McAuliffe, formerly a mem-  
ber of the Louisville police force,  
now a police officer in Memphis, is  
spending the week in Louisville with  
his brother, Capt. Mike McAuliffe.

**WILL FIGHT SOCIALISM.**  
The growth of anti-religious so-  
cial theories in the United States has  
for some time past been a source of  
anxiety to the Catholic clergy. As a  
result of several private meetings  
held by prominent Catholic laymen  
of New York City, a comprehensive  
plan of action has now been decided  
upon and steps taken to give it ef-  
fect at once. It is a plan of con-  
certed social crusade. The Lay-  
men's League for social studies has  
been formed and under its auspices  
competent lecturers will conduct

regular courses of systematic study  
of social questions. Classes will  
be opened next September and will  
continue through the winter and spring.  
From present indications the Lay-  
men's League will be an important  
factor in combating anti-religious  
theories and the fallacies of Social-  
ism.

**IMPOSING PAGEANT.**  
In the July from 1911 to 1914,  
in San Diego, there will be held  
unique celebrations linking Catholic  
missions in California in early times  
with the Panama Exposition, to be  
held in San Francisco from January  
to December, 1915. The celebrations  
will be in charge of Franciscan  
monks, for it was Father Junipero  
Serra, a Franciscan, who established  
in 1769 at San Diego the first of the  
Upper California missions, sent there  
to do so by the Viceroy of Mexico.  
When Charles III. ruled Spain. The  
celebration this coming July will  
open with a Pontifical high mass,  
celebrated by Bishop Conaty at a  
great floral altar in Balboa Park,  
and be followed by a pageant of the  
twenty-one missions that line the  
way between San Diego and San  
Francisco, the interval between each  
mission being a day's journey. A  
foot. In the pageant the people of  
each mission will be shown by living  
characters, costumed in seventeenth  
century period. There will also be  
shown a pageant record of West  
Coast history from the discovery of  
the Pacific by Balboa in 1513 to the  
period of American occupation fol-  
lowing the close of the war with  
Mexico in 1848. These cover the  
conquest by Cortez, the downfall of  
Montezuma and the Aztecs, and the  
colonization of California.

**FOR WOMAN'S EYE.**  
Bead fringes are a fad of the mo-  
ment.  
Changeable chevrot is one of the  
new fabrics.  
There are some wonderfully pretty  
hair nets worn, of gold and silver,  
and old silver is fashionable.  
One of the newest sleeves is about  
three-quarter length and is as wide  
at the bottom as at the plain top.  
Dressy coat sleeves end anywhere  
between the elbow and the wrist, and  
ample width is a feature of all.  
Fancy effects both in coats and  
skirts are plainly discernible among  
the important trends.  
Braids of all kinds are used on  
tailor made suits and dresses, in  
various widths, in plain and fancy  
designs.  
The sailor collar in its many  
forms, as well as the simple notch  
collar, is much in evidence. Some  
smart effects in fancy revers are  
shown, as well as many side fasten-  
ings.  
While many of the sleeves are cut  
in one with the body of the coat,  
others are similar to the regulation  
coat sleeve, but fuller than they  
were last season.  
Although some skirts are trimmed  
quite elaborately to match the coats,  
the tendency toward simplicity is  
marked.  
Braid trimmings, as well as lin-  
gerie collars and cuffs, or those made  
of lace, are seen in many jackets.

**SCALLOPED POTATOES.**  
Slice as many potatoes as needed,  
butter a baking dish, place in a  
layer of potatoes, sprinkle with salt,  
pepper and a scant tablespoonful of  
flour; then another layer of potatoes  
and so on until the potatoes are  
used, then cover the top with  
cracker crumbs and small lumps of  
butter, cover all the potatoes with  
milk and bake in a moderate oven  
one hour.

**BAKING POWDER BISCUITS.**  
The old method of making baking  
powder biscuits was the minute they  
were out and in the pan to pop them  
in the oven. Try letting them rise  
from fifteen to twenty minutes be-  
fore baking, and notice the differ-  
ence in size, lightness and taste.

**DISEASE FLIES.**  
Tests in Dublin have shown that  
the wind will carry disease bacteria  
200 feet and as high as sixty feet  
into the air, even when there is a  
heavy rainfall.

**IRISH ARE MORAL.**  
Statistics show that the people of  
Ireland are the most moral in the  
world.

**FOOLISH REVENGE.**  
Nothing is more foolish, nor more  
productive of misery to yourself,  
than revenge. Banish all malignant  
and revengeful thoughts. They make  
the best face look ugly. If your re-  
venge be not satisfied, it will give  
you torment now; if it be, it will be  
greater hereafter. There is no  
greater self-tormentor than a mal-  
icious and revengeful person, who  
turns the poison of his own temper  
upon himself. The Christian precept  
in this case is, "Let not the sun go  
down upon your wrath." The Pytha-  
goraeans practiced it in a literal sense  
—"If at any time, in a passion, they  
broke out into opprobrious language,  
before the sun set they gave one an-  
other their hands, and with them a  
discharge from all injuries; and so,  
with a mutual reconciliation, parted  
friends."

**THE TRANQUIL DAY.**  
Every morning compose your soul  
for a tranquil day, and all through it  
be careful often to recall your resolu-  
tion, and bring yourself back to it, so  
to say. If something discomposes you,  
do not go upset or troubled; but, hav-  
ing discovered the fact, humble your-  
self gently before God, and try to  
bring your mind into a quiet atti-  
tude. Say to yourself: "Well, I have  
made a false step; now I must go  
more carefully and watchfully." Do  
this each time, however, frequently  
you will. When you are at peace use  
it profitably, making constant acts  
of meekness, and seeking to be calm  
even in the most trifling things.  
Above all, do not be discouraged; be  
patient; wait; strive to attain a  
calm, gentle spirit.

**HUMBLE MILLERS**  
Minneapolis Not So Proud  
As On Last Appear-  
ance.

Joe Cantillon's Minneapolis Mill-  
ers play here this afternoon and to-  
morrow with the Colonels and the  
fans will not find them as cheery as  
on their last appearance in April,  
having received their bumps since,  
being shoved from first to third  
place, and at the rate they are going  
now will be lucky to stay in the  
first division. After the opening of  
the season it was predicted in these  
columns that this team had the ad-  
vantage of spring training and was  
not as strong as last year, especially  
at short stop, and was weak in right  
field. The change in the Colonels'  
line-up has strengthened them con-  
siderably, and it would not be sur-  
prising if they defeated Minneapolis  
both games. Grimshaw at first and  
Howard at second are a tower of  
strength to the infield and by plac-  
ing Stansbury in the outfield retains  
the team's batting strength, and it  
looks like Manager Howard could  
stand pat on the present line-up. A  
few misguided fans wanted Stanley  
taken out of the game and replaced  
by Fisher, but it only took a day or  
two to see the folly of this, several  
runners scoring from second on  
short singles while Stanley would  
have thrown out easily or held them  
at third. The same few do not realize  
that Stanley is hitting the ball  
hard but unskillfully. Louisville will  
play at Columbus Monday, and if  
fair weather Decoration day, Tues-  
day, will play at a monster crowd,  
Columbus fans being tickled over  
their team being in first place.

**NEW YORK CATHOLIC SCHOOLS.**  
In 1840 there were only eight  
Catholic parochial schools in New  
York City with a total attendance  
of about 4,000 pupils. In the bor-  
ough of Manhattan today there are  
sixty-seven schools with a register  
of 52,213 pupils. These schools  
have been erected at a cost of  
\$8,564,500, and the total cost of  
their maintenance for the year 1909  
was \$598,140. In the three of the  
five boroughs of the city of New  
York, which are comprised in the  
archdiocesan limits, viz., Manhattan,  
Bronx and Richmond, there are  
ninety-five Catholic schools with an  
attendance of 61,485 pupils, and the  
total amount of money spent for  
their support in the year 1909 by the  
Catholics of the three boroughs was  
\$682,240. The Board of Education  
of New York City spends about \$50  
a year for the education of each  
pupil attending the public schools,  
and it is estimated that the Catho-  
lics of Manhattan, Bronx and  
Richmond boroughs save the taxpay-  
ers more than \$3,000,000 annually  
in school tax. To erect new school  
buildings for these tens of thousands  
of Catholic school children would  
require the expenditure of about  
\$20,000,000 by the Board of Educa-  
tion.

**HOPKINS' THEATER.**  
Hopkins' Theater announces for  
next week the appearance of The  
Finneys, world's champion swim-  
mers in a crystal tank. James Fin-  
ney himself holds the record against  
all competitors for every variety of  
water feat, and the girls used in the  
act are also said to excel both along  
lines of beauty and in skill.

**TEMPORARY CURATE.**  
The appointment of the Rev.  
Father S. J. Mensa as assistant  
priest at St. Patrick's church is only  
temporary. It is probable that a  
permanent assistant to Father  
Cronin will be appointed at an early  
date.

**ABBOT VISITS ABBEY.**  
The Right Rev. Richard M.  
Phalen, Abbot of the Trappist com-  
munity at Mount Mellerey, Ireland,  
is this week the guest of Abbot  
Obrecht. He passed through  
Louisville to Gethsemane last week.

**IRISH WHIP UNSEATED.**  
Capt. Anthony J. Donelan, the  
Irish Nationalist whip, who defeated  
William O'Brien in the Eastern di-  
vision of Cork at the last general  
election, has been unseated by the  
court that heard the petition against  
his election. The court declined to  
brand Capt. Donelan with personal  
dishonor. The seat was not claimed  
by the O'Brientes.

**GARBLIED MESSAGE.**  
At the last moment Mr. Gayley  
found he could not attend the gar-  
den party at Miss Fenton's house  
and it was, of course, imperative  
that he should send his regrets, so  
he summoned Michael, the family  
gardener.  
"Tell Miss Bessie that I am very  
sorry, but business will prevent me  
coming," he said.  
"Yes, sir," said Michael.  
"And—stay a moment," said  
Gayley. "Could you remember a  
line of poetry?"  
"Well, tell her, 'Though lost to  
sight, to memory dear.'"  
Half an hour later Michael was  
delivering his message to Miss Fen-  
ton.  
"The master said it's sorry he is  
he can't be wild ye," said Michael,  
"and—though he's lost his  
sight, his memory's clear. And  
may I be forgiven for the untruth  
I'm tellin' ye?"

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## HIBERNIANS.

What They Have Been Doing the Past Week—General News Notes.

There will be no regular meetings of the local divisions next week. Many County Boards will hold their annual celebration on Labor day.

The County Board met last night. A full report of the proceedings will appear in our next issue.

Division 19 of Waltham, Mass., has given \$5,000 for the purchase of a hall, and still has \$3,200 in the treasury.

Division 46 and Ladies' Auxiliary 38 of Waltham, Mass., made a net profit of \$1,800 from their recent fair and bazaar.

National President James J. Regan with the National degree team initiated a class of 187 members in Omaha last week.

Throughout all the Eastern States the divisions are protesting against alliance between the United States and Great Britain.

Next month will be a busy one for Louisville Hibernians. There will be matters of importance for consideration at every meeting.

New York Hibernians will have their annual memorial mass for deceased members in St. Patrick's Cathedral next Tuesday.

Hibernianism is booming in New Hampshire. This month twenty-eight new members were received into the order at Dover.

Last Sunday the newly organized degree team officiated at the initiation of a large class for Division 60 of Boston, the candidates being printers and newspaper men.

Nine divisions of South Boston proceeded in a body to St. Eulalia's church last Sunday morning to receive holy communion and hear Rev. Mortimer deliver the sermon.

The next public event in Hibernian circles will be the annual mid-summer celebration. Competent men will have charge of the arrangements, and it is predicted this year's event will surpass anything ever given by the Ancient Order in Louisville.

Members would do well to ask themselves what they are doing for the order. There are many who have not yet secured even one candidate for initiation. They should get busy among their friends and help double our membership before the next State convention.

By the action of the late convention of the Ancient Order at Portland the scholarships established by various States in the Catholic University at Washington have been raised from \$250 to \$400, and it is expected that this generous provision will increase the demand for these scholarships that are now among the best academic prizes within the reach of Catholic youth.

National President Regan calls upon members to prevent the ratification by the Senate of the Anglo-American arbitration treaty, which in reality is a war measure pure and simple—an effort to get the United States back of England in her troubles with other nations. This alliance is particularly directed against the German empire, with whose people in this country we, as a society, are especially friendly.

The friends and neighbors of Sacred Heart Home, 218-222 East College street, have arranged a lawn fete and strawberry festival on the grounds of the home for the afternoon and evening of Tuesday and Wednesday, June 6 and 7. The affair is in charge of the following Executive Committee: Dr. P. S. Ganz, Chairman; George A. Burkley, Secretary; Al S. Smith, Treasurer; and Jacob Hubbuch, Manager.

Other members of the committee include Dr. J. H. Buschmeyer, Andy Kast and J. A. Kirchdorfer. Meetings have been held at Sacred Heart Home every week for more than a month past. Ladies and gentlemen are all working earnestly to aid the Sisters of Mercy in making the affair a success. Euchre will be played every afternoon and evening at 3 and 8:15 o'clock. Between the euchre games supper will be served. No charge will be made for admission to the grounds, but tickets are being sold for twenty-five cents that will entitle the holder either to play euchre or to an excellent supper. Many handsome prizes will be disposed of at the euchre.

The several booths and the ladies in charge of each are to be as follows: Country store, Mrs. J. H. Coleman; novelty, Mrs. James P. Whallen; linen, Mrs. R. B. Loran; candy, fish pond and refreshment booth, Mrs. William Callahan; euchre, Mrs. George Zoll; supper, Mrs. Lena Hoffman. Raymond Barrett will be in charge of the wheel. The above named ladies will be assisted by lady representatives from almost every parish in the city.

**FONTAINE FERRY PARK.**  
Feminine talent will predominate in next week's vaudeville show at Fontaine Ferry. To start with, an act of girls contribute the headline attraction, billed as "The Right Original Berlin Madcaps." They are a lively aggregation of dancing girls hailing from Berlin and are claimed to have the most agile and skillful ensemble act in vaudeville. Feminine entertainers will again hold the stage exclusively when The Three Californians appear. These young women add a charm to their offering through their personal attractiveness, in addition to which they are skillful and accomplished musicians. They introduce violin, piano and cello playing, and one of the trio possesses a fine soprano voice. Another member of the fair

sex will be seen in the act of Harry Felice and Violin Vallorie, "The Elitist Entertainers." The past recent recruits from musical comedy and are slated to present a neat, novel and laughable conversation act, interspersed with songs and dances. Dick Lynch, who is down for a comic novelty by way of his burlesquing of illustrated songs, and the Wood brothers, the famous Irish athletes, will round out the bill. In the garden a new musical programme will be introduced Sunday by Felix Sirignano and his band. A new vocal soloist is also to be heard in connection with the daily free concerts.

**AVENUE THEATER.**  
The patrons of the Avenue Theater have had a week of merriment with excellent vaudeville turns and motion pictures. Each week the attendance increases because the quality of the show improves. The next week's bill promises to be better than ever. Every arrangement has been made for the comfort of patrons of this cozy theater, and numerous electric fans keep the atmosphere at a comfortable temperature.

**OFFICER BROKE ANKLE.**  
Officer J. J. Murphy, of the Seventh police district, while walking his beat Monday night fell on the sidewalk at Thirteenth and Maple streets and sustained a fracture of the right ankle. He was removed to his home at 336 North Twenty-second street, where he is now resting as comfortably as possible under the circumstances.

**FOURTY HOURS' PRAYER.**  
Forty Hours' devotion will begin at the 10 o'clock mass at St. Joseph's church, Webster and Washington streets, tomorrow morning. The altars have been elaborately decorated for the occasion.

**THE BAZAR OF THE BENEFIT OF ST. JAMES' CHURCH** will be held next Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons and evenings. Instead of the ordinary combination books twenty-five cent tickets are being sold to dispose of a new model automobile. It is a fine passenger touring car worth \$1,250. In addition to the automobile many other prizes will be disposed of at the various booths. Supper will be served by the ladies of the parish both evenings and all who attend are assured of an appetizing meal.

Rev. Father E. E. Willett and his entire congregation are anxious to raise funds for a new church. The committee of ladies is made up of Mesdames Fred Noble, H. J. Speed, Alice Rademaker, George Ratterman, Edward Herget, A. R. Vogel, Schaefer, George A. Burkley, Philip Mazzoni, A. Wickstead, Charles J. Crush and Louis Traub. The committee of gentlemen is constituted as follows: Messrs. Henry Besten, Chairman; John Riehm, Charles J. Crush, P. Edmund Klein, Owen Sullivan, A. R. Vogel, S. J. Dant, Fred A. Bauer, Philip Mazzoni, L. Koellner, George A. Burkley and William G. Hume.

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sex will be seen in the act of Harry Felice and Violin Vallorie, "The Elitist Entertainers." The past recent recruits from musical comedy and are slated to present a neat, novel and laughable conversation act, interspersed with songs and dances. Dick Lynch, who is down for a comic novelty by way of his burlesquing of illustrated songs, and the Wood brothers, the famous Irish athletes, will round out the bill. In the garden a new musical programme will be introduced Sunday by Felix Sirignano and his band. A new vocal soloist is also to be heard in connection with the daily free concerts.

**AVENUE THEATER.**  
The patrons of the Avenue Theater have had a week of merriment with excellent vaudeville turns and motion pictures. Each week the attendance increases because the quality of the show improves. The next week's bill promises to be better than ever. Every arrangement has been made for the comfort of patrons of this cozy theater, and numerous electric fans keep the atmosphere at a comfortable temperature.

**OFFICER BROKE ANKLE.**  
Officer J. J. Murphy, of the Seventh police district, while walking his beat Monday night fell on the sidewalk at Thirteenth and Maple streets and sustained a fracture of the right ankle. He was removed to his home at 336 North Twenty-second street, where he is now resting as comfortably as possible under the circumstances.

**FOURTY HOURS' PRAYER.**  
Forty Hours' devotion will begin at the 10 o'clock mass at St. Joseph's church, Webster and Washington streets, tomorrow morning. The altars have been elaborately decorated for the occasion.

**THE BAZAR OF THE BENEFIT OF ST. JAMES' CHURCH** will be held next Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons and evenings. Instead of the ordinary combination books twenty-five cent tickets are being sold to dispose of a new model automobile. It is a fine passenger touring car worth \$1,250. In addition to the automobile many other prizes will be disposed of at the various booths. Supper will be served by the ladies of the parish both evenings and all who attend are assured of an appetizing meal.

Rev. Father E. E. Willett and his entire congregation are anxious to raise funds for a new church. The committee of ladies is made up of Mesdames Fred Noble, H. J. Speed, Alice Rademaker, George Ratterman, Edward Herget, A. R. Vogel, Schaefer, George A. Burkley, Philip Mazzoni, A. Wickstead, Charles J. Crush and Louis Traub. The committee of gentlemen is constituted as follows: Messrs. Henry Besten, Chairman; John Riehm, Charles J. Crush, P. Edmund Klein, Owen Sullivan, A. R. Vogel, S. J. Dant, Fred A. Bauer, Philip Mazzoni, L. Koellner, George A. Burkley and William G. Hume.

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## IRELAND.

Record of the Most Important of the Recent Events Culled From Exchanges.

The town of Listowel is soon to be illuminated by electricity.

The death of Mrs. Mary Mannus, of Roslea, is much regretted.

Mr. Daniel Coughlan, a well known Skibbereen resident, has passed away in his seventy-second year.

The Most Rev. Dr. Fennelly has appointed the Rev. W. Purcell, of Templemore, to be parish priest of Kilkenny.

Donegal Board of Guardians resolved, when advertising for their annual supplies, to include Irish grown tobacco.

Frank Tyrell, speaking at Arklow Urban Council, called attention to the lack of train service between Dublin and Arklow.

The Local Government Board has finally sanctioned the appointment of James Doyle as relieving officer of the Boyle Union.

The Lismore Rural Council has co-opted James Dunne, Ballysaggart, by the Chairman's casting vote, P. Dunne was his opponent.

The Athy Guardians and District Council have elected Miss Cluxton as relieving officer, sanitary sub-officer and inspector of dairies.

Alderman Daniel O'Donnell was recently installed Mayor of Sligo. The ceremony had been postponed from January owing to the Alderman's illness.

The Presentation Community at Kildare, to which order she had been devoted for forty-five years, is the poorer by the death of Mother Magdalen Nolan.

Miss Nance O'Sullivan, fourth daughter of Jeremiah D. O'Sullivan, Tralee, has been received into the Presentation Order of Nuns at the Listowel convent.

H. R. Wilkinson, son of the late Clerk, has been appointed Clerk of Petty Sessions for the Falcarragh district of Donegal. There were three other applicants.

Two ladies, Mrs. Mary O'Connor and Mrs. Jane Marlow Burke, have been returned unopposed as Guardians for the Mallow Urban District of Mallow Union.

Opening the Banks Quarter Session, Judge Bodkin, K. C., said there was but one case to go before the grand jury, and he congratulated them on the condition of their county.

Arising out of the party disturbances at Armagh in January last, thirty-one claims for compensation were heard before Judge Green, who awarded damages totalling close on \$1,000.

The appointment to the Magistracy of P. J. Feilly, merchant of Ballineen, County Cork, is announced. Feilly is one of the youngest Magistrates in the county and is well known in local commercial circles.

Much regret is felt throughout the diocese of Clogher at the news of the death of the Rev. Terence Connolly at Ekra, County Tyrone, at a comparatively early age. The deceased priest was a native of the parish of Tullycormet.

Patrick Macken, J. P., Chairman of the Grand Jury, was shot dead as a result of a shocking accident at his residence at Ballinalee, near Granard. It is believed that Macken was in the act of taking the loaded gun from its place at the end of a settle-bed when it was accidentally discharged.